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NURSING NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



NATIONAL

REPORT OF NURSES' RELIEF FUND, JULY 1, 1912

(This should have preceded the August report, published in the last issue of the JOURNAL, but was not received.—Ed.)

Previously acknowledged	\$1961.44
June 1, interest on bank balance.....	13.59
Kansas City General Hospital Alumnae Association.....	10.00
Jackson Sanatorium Alumnae Association, Dansville, N. Y.	25.00
Individual members of Jackson Sanatorium Alumnae Association, Dansville, N. Y.	
J. Linton	1.00
B. Sparham	1.00
M. Pridham	1.00
E. MacCallum	2.00
A. McCumber	2.00
Iowa State Nurses' Association.....	25.00
Mrs. Millicent Northway, R.N.	5.15
Lucy Minnegerode	5.10
German Hospital Alumnae Association, New York City.....	10.00
St. Luke's Hospital Alumnae Association, Richmond, Va.	10.00
Brooklyn Hospital Alumnae Association	25.00
St. Luke's Hospital Alumnae Association, St. Louis, Mo.	20.00
Mary B. Eyre	3.00
Syylla S. Muntz, Ronquillo Hospital, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico.....	5.00
Julia Dorsey	2.00
Mane S. Gottler, R.N.	2.00
Cash received at Chicago Convention from various associations and individual members for which a New York draft ¹ was sent from Chicago during convention	203.50
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	\$2332.78

¹ The items making up this draft the treasurer is unable to give at the present as her trunk containing all her books and records was lost by railroad in transit to New York.

REPORT OF NURSES' RELIEF FUND, SEPTEMBER 1, 1912

Previously acknowledged	\$2451.84
Alice M. Anderton } Johns Hopkins Hospital Alumnae Association.....	4.00
Susan Shrive }	
Boston City Hospital Alumnae Association.....	50.00

Jewish Hospital Alumnae Association, Philadelphia, Pa.	\$5.00
Rochester Homœopathic Hospital Alumnae Association.....	25.00
Minnesota State Graduate Nurses' Association.....	25.00
Children's Hospital Alumnae Association, Boston, Mass.	25.00
Balance September 1, 1912	<hr/> \$2585.84 <hr/>

The following associations and individuals have reported making payments in cash at Chicago Convention:

Johns Hopkins Hospital Alumnae Association.....	\$100.00
Sara E. McNeil	5.00
Indiana State Nurses' Association	41.00
St. Mary's Hospital Alumnae Association, Milwaukee, Wis.	5.00

All contributions should be sent to Mrs. C. V. Twiss, R.N., Treasurer, 419 West 144th St., New York City, and checks made payable to the Farmers' Loan & Trust Company, N. Y.

Address all inquiries to L. A. Giberson, R.N., Chairman, S. E. Cor. 33d Street and Powelton Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

A calendar for 1913 is being prepared to be sold for the benefit of the Relief Fund and will be on sale at one or two places in each state. The price and date of issue with names of other places where they will be on sale will be published in next month's JOURNAL.

The following nurses and directories in various states have kindly promised to take charge of the selling of the calendars:

Texas, Clara L. Shackford, R.N., John Sealy Hospital, Galveston.

Massachusetts, Suffolk County Nurses Central Directory, 636 Beacon St., Boston; The Boston Nurses' Club, 839 Boylston St., Boston.

Delaware, Anna M. Hook, R.N., 822 W. 9th St., Wilmington; Mrs. Mary T. Cunningham, R.N., Elsmere.

Ohio, Matilda L. Johnson, 612 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland.

New York, The Central Registry for Nurses, 52 East 34th St., New York City, Pauline L. Dolliver, R.N., Registrar.

Indiana, Mae D. Currie, R.N., 21 The Millikan, Indianapolis.

Oklahoma, Central Registry, Mrs. B. V. Ryder, R.N., Secretary, 106 E. 5th St., Oklahoma City.

Iowa, Helen C. Peterson, R.N., 1116 Court St., Sioux City; Des Moines Register, Flora Polzig, R.N., Secretary, 931 4th St., Des Moines.

Georgia, Lucy Minnegerode, R.N., Savannah Hospital.

Pennsylvania, Philadelphia Club for Graduate Nurses, and Registry, 1520 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Miss M. C. Walter, Superintendent.

Dallas, Texas, Miss N. Oldberg, 4412 San Jacinto Street.

Madison, Wisconsin, Emma Puls, 224 W. Washington Avenue.

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

THE TREASURER OF THE NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING, Mary E. Lent, R.N., Instructive District Nursing Association, Baltimore, Md., would like to have sent to her the correct addresses of the following mem-

bers of that organization: Lena Warner, Katherine Morris, Mary Handschin, Bessie LaLacheur. Receipts sent to them to the addresses given in Chicago have been returned.

MASSACHUSETTS

THE BOARD OF REGISTRATION OF NURSES will hold an examination for applicants on Tuesday, October 8, in Room 15, State House, Boston, beginning at 9 A.M.

EDWIN B. HARVEY, secretary.

CONNECTICUT

Hartford.—THE HARTFORD HOSPITAL ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION held a monthly meeting at Gurdon Russell Settlement House, Miss McCormac presiding. The minutes of the June meeting were read and accepted. Mary McGary, delegate to the fifteenth annual convention of the American Nurses' Association, read a very interesting paper on the convention. The association members are invited to take tea at "Bowfield," Windsor, on October 10, as the guests of Miss McGary.

NEW YORK

THE NEW YORK STATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION will hold its eleventh annual meeting in the Supreme Court Chamber, Court House, Utica, on Wednesday and Thursday, October 16 and 17, 1912. The headquarters of the association will be at the Hotel Utica.

A meeting of the Superintendents' Association will be held on Tuesday, October 15, at 2 P.M. Registration of delegates will be from 9 to 10 A.M., on Wednesday, and all are requested to be prompt in attending the first session. Delegates are requested to be prepared to vote on the proposed amendments to the constitution and by-laws. The headquarters of the association will be at the Hotel Utica. The following hotels are recommended by the Chairman of the Arrangements Committee, Caroline Evans, Homeopathic Hospital, Utica: Hotel Utica, Lafayette Street, corner Seneca, headquarters of the association, all rooms with bath, rates \$1.50 per day and upward; Baggs Hotel, Main Street; St. James Hotel, 14-18 Whitesboro Street; Hotel Martin, 225-231 Bleeker Street, rates \$1.50 up for single rooms, and \$2.50 up for double rooms.

The programme in outline is as follows:

Wednesday, 10 A.M. Invocation, Bishop Olmstead; address of welcome, Mayor Frank Baker; roll call; reports of officers and committees; president's address; reports of delegates to other conventions. Wednesday, 2 P.M. Legislative Session, Miss Goodrich presiding. Reports of Legislative Committee, Board of Nurse Examiners, Training School Inspector; address by M. Adelaide Nutting. Wednesday, 8 P.M. Papers: "Obstetrics," Dr. A. Martine; "Pediatrics," Dr. Wood Clark; "Medical and Surgical Nursing," Dr. Willis Ford. Thursday, 10 A.M. Papers: "Training Nurses for the Care of Mental Diseases," Josephine Callahan, Ogdensburg; "Problems of Private Nursing," Ida J. Anderson, Rochester, and Josephine Hill, New York City. Thursday, 2.30 P.M. Papers: "Work of the State Department of Health," Dr. Eugene H. Porter; "Child Hygiene," Dr. S. I. Baker; "Organization of the National Organization for Public Health Nursing," Ella Phillips Crandall. Mrs. Harriet Storek of Buffalo has been invited to give a paper on Infantile Paralysis.

Geneva.—THE JAMES O. SHELDON MEMORIAL HOME FOR NURSES was formally opened and presented to the trustees of the Geneva City Hospital Training School for Nurses on July 16. The home is the gift of Mrs. Andrew H. Smith, of this city, and was erected and furnished by her in memory of her father, the late James O. Sheldon, of New York. The alumnae association of the hospital feels particularly grateful for the home, as it was through the efforts of its members that Mrs. Smith first became aware of the need of such a building. On the opening day a piano was presented to the training school by the alumnae association.

Rochester.—THE MONROE COUNTY REGISTERED NURSES' ASSOCIATION opens its central directory and club house on October 1 in a well-built roomy house at 45 South Union Street. The association is not yet able to buy the house, as it hopes to do in time, but has rented the lower floor, as a beginning, where it will have room for a club room, registrar's office, and bedroom, one room for renting, which will accommodate two nurses, the office of the AMERICAN JOURNAL OF NURSING, a bath-room, and a kitchen. Gertrude Montfort, a Bellevue graduate, who has been in California for several years, has accepted the position of registrar.

NEW JERSEY

THE NEW JERSEY STATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION will hold its semi-annual meeting on Tuesday, November 5, at the Y. M. C. A. Building, Camden. The morning session will begin at ten o'clock, the afternoon session at two, when a practical demonstration of salvarsan will be given by Dr. A. H. Lippincott of Camden.

PENNSYLVANIA

THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR REGISTRATION OF NURSES will hold an examination for eligible applicants for registration, in Philadelphia, November 7, 1912, in Pittsburgh, November 11, 1912, and in Erie, November 12, 1912. Full information will be forwarded each applicant. Application blanks can be obtained from the secretary-treasurer, Dr. Albert E. Blackburn, 3813 Powelton Avenue, Philadelphia.

THE GRADUATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA will hold its annual meeting in Erie, November 13, 14, and 15, 1912. Further notice of the meeting will be sent for the November issue. A cordial invitation is extended to all nurses and to the public to attend the meetings.

MARY S. SIMS, R.N., secretary.

THE PHILADELPHIA CLUB FOR GRADUATE NURSES which was located at 922 Spruce Street, finding it necessary to secure a larger house owing to increasing membership and the demand for larger rooms in which to hold social and educational meetings, has removed to 1520 Arch Street. This house being centrally located and containing a larger number of rooms, the club can meet the demand of nurses wishing to make their home there, and of all alumnae associations wishing to hold meetings. Nurses from other places are cordially invited to make this their home when visiting the city.

ANNIE S. MAGILTON, R.N., graduate of the Lying-in Charity Hospital, who is superintendent of the Baptist Mission Hospital at Nellore, India, returned to her field of work on August 10, after a furlough of eight months.

ALMA L. PITTMAN, R.N., class of 1910, training school of the University of Pennsylvania, will sail from San Francisco, October 16, as a missionary to China, under the care of the Baptist Board. An impressive farewell service was held in the Chestnut Street Baptist Church on Sunday evening, September 8, at which Dr. Emilie Bretthauer, a graduate of the Woman's Medical College of Philadelphia, who has been in Hang Yang, China, for some years, made an earnest appeal to all Miss Pitman's friends to remember her and pray for her in her distant and difficult field, saying that when missionaries wrote the happiest letters home, they might be most in need of encouragement. The members of the alumnae association gave Miss Pittman the school pin to help her remember "the girls" she leaves behind.

FRANCES H. BESCHERER, late superintendent of nurses, Butler County General Hospital, Butler, has left the field of active nursing, after sixteen years of institutional service, and has decided to put into practice her experience in hospital dietetics by helping to conduct the Quaker City Diet Kitchen on North Lambert Street.

Pittsburgh.—THE ALLEGHENY GENERAL HOSPITAL NURSES' ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION held its first meeting of the fall on September 9. Eight new members were received and many matters of business taken up and arranged for.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

THE NURSES' EXAMINING BOARD of the District of Columbia will hold an examination for registration of nurses Wednesday, November 6, 1912. Application must be made before October 6, 1912, to Katherine Douglass, secretary, 418 East Capitol Street.

MARYLAND

Baltimore.—**MARY C. PACKARD**, for many years superintendent of the Robert Garrett Children's Hospital, and prominent in all nursing affairs of the state, has resigned her position.

CLARA PECK, formerly superintendent of the Newburyport Hospital, Newburyport, Mass., has been made superintendent of nurses at the Maryland Homeopathic Hospital.

Frederick.—THE CITY HOSPITAL has received a gift of a nurses' home from Mrs. Simmons, of this city. Work will soon be commenced on a building to accommodate about twelve nurses.

OHIO

THE OHIO STATE ASSOCIATION OF GRADUATE NURSES will convene in Canton, October 15-16, 1912. Headquarters, Y. W. C. A. Arrangements have been made with the managers of the Courtland Hotel to accommodate the delegates and visitors. Mary E. Gladwin, president, will preside. An unusually attractive programme has been prepared, and considerable time and attention will be given to the amended bill for state registration.

WISCONSIN

THE COMMITTEE OF EXAMINERS OF REGISTERED NURSES will hold an examination for registration October 23 and 24 in the office of the State Board of Health, Madison, for those for whom the law provides in the following clause:

"If application be made prior to September 1, 1914, and the applicant at the time of such application shall have been engaged in the actual practice of nursing for three years, and shall pass an examination to determine the fitness and ability of the applicant to give efficient care to the sick."

Milwaukee.—THE NURSES OF MILWAUKEE COUNTY have incorporated and completed their organization and will have monthly meetings, beginning September 1. The officers are: president, Miss Newhouse; vice-president, Miss Nifer; secretary, Miss Reichard; treasurer, Miss Farly.

ILLINOIS

STATE BOARD EXAMINATION IN DIETETICS

(The answers given are made up from portions of those received, except under question 5.)

1. (a) Give the theory of cooking starch.

Answer: Starch should be cooked slowly over a long period of time; a double boiler should be used. The starch becomes partially dextrinized by long cooking. Long cooking breaks down the cellulose and thus frees the starch grains, allowing the starch to be acted upon more readily by the digestive juices. Long cooking develops a sweet taste.

(b) What secretions assist in the digestion of starch?

Answer: The ferment ptyalin in the saliva; amyllopsin in the pancreatic juice; succus entericus.

2. (a) What are the characteristics of an ideal piece of toast?

Material: Bread should be one day old; no holes in the bread, because the edges about the holes become burnt easily; bread to be cut not too thin, as edges curl too easily; should be cut from one-half to three-quarters of an inch thick; crust may or may not be removed; bread to be cut evenly; bread should be dried in the oven before being toasted.

Process: The bread should be toasted on both sides and evenly; toasted a light brown and not burnt; should be dry all the way through; toasting develops the starch into dextrine.

(b) How is toast to be served?

Answer: Toast should be served without butter. If buttered, butter only when cool. To serve, cut into pieces such as squares, sticks, dice; serve hot, on a clean dish, in a folded napkin; serve only when freshly toasted.

3. (a) Why does milk become sour?

Answer: Because of the action of the lactic acid bacteria.

(b) Is sour milk harmful?

The answers to this were both "No" and "Yes," referring to the adult and to the feeding of infants.

(c) What preventive measures can be used in summer to keep milk from becoming sour?

Answer: Cleanliness; keeping the milk cool; unexposed to the air; keep it free from flies; Pasteurize; boil it; put in chemicals.

4. (a) Define foodstuffs.

Answer: Foodstuffs are the essential food principles that make up a complete food and include proteids, carbohydrates, fats, mineral matter, and water.

(b) What are the uses of foods?

Answer: To produce heat and energy to build up the new tissues; to repair the broken-down tissues.

5. What is meant by a Calorie?

"Ever since Lavoisier showed that the changes which food undergoes in the body are essentially changes due to oxidation, the idea has gathered weight that the amount of heat which a food is capable of yielding on complete combustion may be taken as a measure of its value as a source of energy, for heat and work are convertible terms. Now, the standard of heat production is the Calorie, which means the amount of heat required to raise the temperature of 1 gramme of water 1 degree C. This is the small Calorie. For measuring the heat value of foods, one employs for convenience the large, or kilo-calorie, *i.e.*, the amount of heat required to raise 1 kilo (or 1 litre) of water 1 degree C., or, what is the same thing, 1 pound of water 4 degrees Fahr.; and one writes it Calorie, with a capital letter." HUTCHINSON.

Answers as given: A Calorie is the smallest unit of heat. A Calorie is the heat element in food. A Calorie is the amount of heat in food. A Calorie is the smallest particle of food.

(b) How many Calories are needed by the average adult in health?

"One may sum up the standard amounts of the different nutritive constituents required daily thus:

Proteid	120 grammes (3 ounces)
Carbohydrate	500 grammes (18 ounces)
Fat	50 grammes (1½ ounces)

This would yield the following amount of energy in Calories:

Proteid	120 times 4.1 = 492
Carbohydrate	500 times 4.1 = 2050
Fat	50 times 9.2 = 465

3007 Calories."

HUTCHINSON.

Answers as given: Six thousand to ten thousand Calories are needed by the average adult per day; 247 Calories; 365 Calories are required for an average adult; 2880 Calories; 3400 Calories; 3500 Calories daily; 145 Calories to a pound; from 98 to 99 Calories are needed by the adult; about 500 Calories are needed; 50 Calories needed per pound; 60 Calories needed by the average adult; an adult requires 3000 Calories per day; requires 15,000 Calories a day. An adult needs 4060 Calories.

6. Describe five ways of preparing milk and eggs, either separately or together, with which to vary a liquid diet.

Answer: Iced milk; boiled milk; milk shake; custard; raw egg and salt; beaten egg; egg albumen; poached egg in water or milk; creamed soups; egg nog;

soft-boiled egg; egg whip; baked egg; ice cream; milk and liquor calcis; junket; cocoa; hot milk in which toast has been soaked and strained; peptonized; egg white with fruit juices; egg yolk in broth.

7. Name four points which should be considered in the feeding of patients.

Answer: Choose the kind of diet to meet the needs of the patient. Make a proper selection, serving proper amounts of food. Food properly cooked and not greasy. Food to be given at proper intervals. Food known to be easily digested. Select according to health and age. Amuse the patient while eating. Do not have the patient irritated by an uncomfortable position. Do not ask the patient to eat just at medicine time. Keep the patient in a cheerful frame of mind. Make use of the napkin to the mouth frequently. Do not use force in compelling a patient to take food, but rather diplomacy. The nurse should see that she is immaculate. Before serving a tray, remove medicine glasses, emesis basins, etc. Never use a glass tube in feeding a delirious patient. Do not drop particles of food on patient when feeding same. Encourage the patient to masticate the food well. Do not hurry the patient. Do not give foods which retard the recovery of the patient. Put the tray in a convenient place for the patient to reach. Do not serve the dishes too full; a second serving is preferable. When a patient is not able to sit up, feed. Keep mind clear of worry. Consider the likes of the patient in serving and seasoning. Select food principles and not stimulants. Do not give semi-solids to patients who are on liquid diet. When the patient is sleeping avoid awakening her for food, unless it is essential. Do not give too many varieties at one time. Patient is not to be consulted; serve that which is required for his benefit. See that the patient is in a comfortable position and the hands and face are washed before he is served. When serving foods in a glass or cup, place the same on a saucer. When feeding an unconscious patient, raise the head and support the same; feed slowly, with a spoon and carefully.

8. What changes take place in the making of wheat flour into bread?

(Referring to this question there was an opportunity given to answer five out of eight and the majority of women chose answering the other questions, leaving about three answers for No. 8.)

Answers: Starch becomes dextrinized. Gluten is developed by the addition of water. The growth of the yeast. Formation of carbon dioxide. Formation of alcohol.

NEBRASKA

Lincoln.—**LISLE FRELEIGH**, superintendent of nurses for the past year of the Dr. Bailey Sanatorium, has resigned to take advantage of the Hampton-Robb scholarship at Teachers' College, New York.

Miss H. J. FISHER, R.N., formerly superintendent of nurses of the Dr. Bailey Sanatorium, has accepted the position of resident nurse at Milwaukee-Downer College, Milwaukee, Wis. This past year Miss Fisher has been engaged in private duty nursing in Detroit.

KANSAS

THE KANSAS STATE ASSOCIATION OF NURSES will hold a meeting in Topeka on October 8 and 9, 1912. All graduate nurses are urged to attend.

COLORADO

THE COLORADO STATE BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS will meet to examine applicants for registration at the State Capitol, Denver, on October 22, 23, 24. For information, address Mary B. Eyre, secretary, 1942 Pennsylvania Street, Denver, Colo.

TEXAS

THE BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS will hold examinations on October 16, 1912, at 10 A.M., at the following places: St. Mark's Rectory, 315 Pecan Street, San Antonio; 703 Lamar Street, Fort Worth; Kings Daughters Hospital, Temple; Providence Sanitarium, Waco; 807 Gray Street, Houston. The regular meeting of the Board will be held in Galveston, October 23-24, 1912. Applications must be sent to the secretary before October 1, 1912.

C. L. SHACKFORD, R.N., secretary.

CALIFORNIA

San Francisco.—LANE HOSPITAL AND COOPER MEDICAL COLLEGE are now under the management of Stanford University, and the college is hereafter to be known as the Medical Department of the Leland Stanford University. Harriet I. MacArthur, of the Presbyterian Hospital, New York, assumed charge of the training school of Lane Hospital on October 1.

BIRTHS

ON August 28, at Baltimore, Md., a daughter, Mary Sheffey, to Dr. and Mrs. Don Preston Peters. Mrs. Peters was Retta A. Mencke, class of 1911, Church Home Infirmary, Baltimore.

ON June 26, at Canton, Ohio, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Swearengen. Mrs. Swearengen was Anna McGerron (or McFerron), a graduate of Allegheny General Hospital.

MARRIAGES

ON August 8, at Hazleton, Pa., Olive Richard, class of 1909, Howard Hospital, Philadelphia, to Roy Leib. Mr. and Mrs. Leib will live in Hazleton.

ON September 3, at Poultney, Vt., Helen Keefe, R.N., class of 1911, Troy Hospital, Troy, N. Y., to John J. Ramey, M.D. After an extended European trip, Dr. and Mrs. Ramey will live in Troy.

ON August 31, at Chestertown, Md., Alice Adele Gemmill, R.N., class of 1902, training school of the University of Pennsylvania, to John Benton Carnett, M.D. Miss Gemmill was for six years superintendent of the Mercer Hospital, Trenton, N. J. Dr. and Mrs. Carnett will live in Philadelphia.

ON September 5, at Randolph Centre, Vt., Mary Howard Nutting, class of 1898, Hartford Hospital Training School, to Reverend Thomas Edward Davies. Reverend and Mrs. Davies will live in Springfield, Mass.

NAOMI AUGENBAUGH, graduate of the Allegheny General Hospital, to Robert McCance. Mr. and Mrs. McCance will live in Crafton, Pa.

ON June 20, at Pittsburgh, Pa., Eleanor Nicely, graduate of the Allegheny General Hospital, to Reverend Jacob Ries. On June 28, Reverend and Mrs. Ries sailed for Africa to engage in mission work.

ON July 24, at Pittsburgh, Pa., Dorothy E. Chepp (?), graduate of the Allegheny General Hospital to Russell H. Gresey. Mr. and Mrs. Gresey will live in Pittsburgh.

ON July 12, in Philadelphia, Lucy Evelyn Lewis, class of 1909, Protestant Episcopal Hospital in Philadelphia, to Constant Perkins Wilson, M.D. Dr. and Mrs. Wilson will live in Fort Smith, Arkansas.

DEATHS

ON May 26, at Doylestown, Pa., Bessie G. Palmer, R.N., class of 1906, Training School of the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

ON June 28, at Palmyra, N. J., Sara Emma Evaul, R.N., class of 1905, Training School of the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.

ON August 19, at Riverside, Cal., Mabel G. Stinchfield, class of 1909, Maine General Hospital, Portland, Maine. Miss Stinchfield was a young woman of beautiful character, a credit to her profession. Her loss will be keenly felt by all her associates.

ON August 21, at Hermann-Evans Sanitarium, in her home town, Sandersville, Georgia, Bertha Hermann, class of 1910, Lucy Brinkley Hospital, Memphis, Tenn. Soon after graduation, Miss Hermann accepted the position of superintendent of Hermann-Evans Sanitarium. Owing to illness, after several months of faithful work, she gave it up and was never able to resume it. She gave her whole strength and energy to her profession. The sterling virtues of her noble character shone with peculiar lustre, both in her professional and social life.

ON September 2, at her home in Bideford, Prince Edward Island, Minnie Hayes, graduate of Boston City Hospital Training School and a faithful member of its alumnae association. Miss Hayes' illness, which was caused by Bright's disease with severe heart complications, was of less than one month's duration. She was most faithful, both as a private and hospital nurse, and was interested in all that pertains to the interests of nursing. She leaves many warm friends who will mourn her death.

ON August 7, at the Buffalo Homœopathic Hospital, Catharine Florence Mayer, class of 1893, Hahnemann Hospital, Rochester, N. Y.

ON August 15, of tubercular meningitis, Clementine Bell, class of 1911, Fort Wayne Lutheran Hospital Training School for Nurses, Fort Wayne, Indiana. The members of the alumnae association of the school express deep sorrow and regret at her loss.

ON September 3, at Bideford, Prince Edward Island, Minnie Hayes, class of 1896, Boston City Hospital.
